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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2004, place the application in condition for appeal by cancelling Claims 21-31 as follows.

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